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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The following extension of time is requested to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements :

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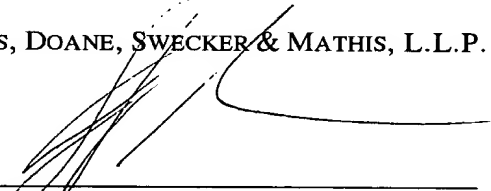
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

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